1. How do you say “Please” in your host culture?

Pazhalusta

1. Are there any other ways to say “Please”? When are they used? List them here:

Pazhalusta is the only way to say please.

1. Are there any special situations where the word or phrase for “Please” can be used? (hint: check for “Quick Tips”)

Usually only used to point and say “Pazhalusta” to signal you want something.

1. What is the expression for “Thank you.” In your host culture?

Blagadaryu Vas is the formal way

Spasiba is the informal way.

1. Name at least three situations where you should respond with “Thank you” in your host culture:

If someone goes out of their way to help, if someone gives you something, if someone works hard to get something done for your benefit.

1. Are there any other special expressions for special situations? What are they? For example, are there sometimes when you need to be more respectful? Does it depend upon whether you know the person or not?

For very special occasions when someone goes above and beyond the call of being kind, when someone is extremely generous, or for any other time you're extremely grateful, use Blagadaryu vas.

1. How do you express a degree of thankfulness in your host culture (for example, “Thank you very much!)?

To say thank you very much, add Balshoye to Spasiba. So it would be Balshoye Spasiba.

1. Is there a universal (appropriate for all situations) way to say “You’re welcome!” in your host country? What is it? Yes, Pazhalusta.

What are some of the situations where you can use it? (hint: check “Quick Tips”)

1. Is there a more formal way to say “You’re welcome!” in your host country? What is it?

No, Pazhalusta is the formal way to say you’re welcome.

1. What are any other ways to say “You’re welcome!”?

Another way to say you’re welcome is the informal way of Ne za shto.